

MARC D. LARKINS, ESQ.



Marc Larkins was nominated by Governor Chris Christie to serve as the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the New Jersey Schools Development Authority (SDA) and confirmed by the Board of Directors on February 26, 2010. As CEO, Mr. Larkins is responsible for the management and implementation of the state's school construction program throughout New Jersey.

Prior to his appointment to the SDA, Mr. Larkins served in various capacities as an Assistant United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey. He held the positions of Acting First Assistant United States Attorney, Executive Assistant United States Attorney, and Acting Counsel to the United States Attorney. In each of these capacities, Mr. Larkins was involved in the oversight and management of all operations of the U.S. Attorney's Office. Mr. Larkins also supervised a number of units within the U.S. Attorney's Office, including serving as Acting Chief of the Terrorism Unit and Chief of the Government Fraud Unit. Mr. Larkins directly prosecuted public corruption cases in the Special Prosecutions Division and narcotics cases in the Organized Crime and Drug Enforcement Task Force of the U.S. Attorney's Office.

Mr. Larkins began his legal career as a law clerk to the now retired Honorable James H. Coleman, Jr., the first African-American Justice on the New Jersey Supreme Court. Mr. Larkins then served as a law clerk to the Honorable Joseph A. Greenaway, Jr., United States Third Circuit Court of Appeals, while Judge Greenaway sat on the District Court. In 1999, Mr. Larkins was accepted into the Attorney General's Honors Program at the United States Department of Justice in Washington, D.C. He served as a trial attorney in the Criminal Division for a little over three years, specializing in domestic and international narcotics prosecutions.

Mr. Larkins spent his early childhood in Newark, New Jersey and was raised in Irvington, New Jersey where he still resides. He received his undergraduate degree in accounting from Seton Hall University and his Juris Doctorate from Seton Hall University School of Law.